Integration of GCP Into Clinical Research Training
An Academic Research Organization’s Perspective

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Stakeholders’ Shared Goals

Safe & Effective Products

Consistency in Regulatory Oversight

Confidence in Outcomes of the Clinical Trial Process
Standard GCP Training

Fulfills the requirement

Little practical application
Benefits of Applied GCP Training

- Opportunity for critical thinking
- Environment for questions
- Evaluation of roles and interactions of all the stakeholders in the clinical research enterprise
- Occasion to learn from the missteps/mistakes of others
- Supports strategy to reduce non-compliance
Applied GCP Course Content

- Review Stakeholder Responsibilities
  - Sponsor/CRO
  - Clinical Investigator
  - Monitor/CRA

- Case Study Review

- Issue Escalation and Documentation

- Compliance

- Reflection
“THE CASE OF THE BITTER PILL” STUDY XXXX

Starring:
• The Drug
• The Sponsor
• The CRO
• The CRA
• The PI
• The FDA
Most Effective Aspects of Training

- “Group discussion and (group) work to answer questions”
- “Hearing different perspectives on topics”
- “I can immediately apply what I learned to my job here.”
- “This was the best training workshop I’ve attended here. It was interesting, all participants were engaged and it flowed beautifully.”
- “The warning letter was a perfect training tool.”
THANK YOU